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**City of West Lafayette Seeks Public Input for  
Proposed Historic Preservation Commission Ordinance**

**WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind.** – The City of West Lafayette is holding a public input sessions at West Lafayette City Hall on Monday, April 11 at 6:00 p.m. AND Monday, April 25 at 6:00 p.m. to gather input on the proposed historic preservation commission ordinance.

Councilor Peter Bunder submitted the ordinance at the March 7 City Council meeting in West Lafayette. The ordinance proposes the creation of a preservation commission that would identify historic districts within West Lafayette.

Under this ordinance in an effort to protect the value of the historic districts, owners of buildings within the districts would potentially need to receive permission from the commission before making significant exterior changes.

The purpose of the scheduled public meetings on April 11 and April 25 is to seek public discussion and input on the proposal.

“As the City of West Lafayette continues to look towards the future on how best to move our community forward, public input is critical and very important,” said Mayor John Dennis. “This is a great opportunity for citizens in West Lafayette to voice their opinions on the matter of historic preservation.”

A draft of the proposed ordinance can be found on the city’s website:  
[www.westlafayette.in.gov](http://www.westlafayette.in.gov).

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